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THE COURTS.

CIRCUIT COURT.
Montgomery City, first Monday in May and second Monday in November. Danville, 4th Monday in April and first Monday in November.

COUNTY COURT.
Montgomery City, first Monday in March, June, September and December. Danville, first Monday in February, May, August and November.

PROBATE COURT.
Montgomery City, third Monday in January, April, July and October. Danville, 1st Monday in March, June, September and December.

ATTORNEY Frank B. Fulkerson, has been tendered the position of Insurance Commissioner, by Governor-elect Hadley.

REPRESENTATIVE E. P. Rosenberg, of this county, has been appointed a democratic member of the Steering Committee of the legislature.

JESSE TOLLERTON can have the appointment of State Game and Fish Warden if he wants it. He states that he will not accept the appointment if required to make his residence at Jefferson City.

EX-REPRESENTATIVE W. C. Goshorn of this county, was appointed Chief Clerk in the temporary organization of the House of Representatives. No doubt the temporary appointment will be made permanent.

JOHN W. JACKS of the Standard is in Jefferson City looking after his chances of appointment as Clerk of the Senate. Mr. Jacks' claims depend upon the decision in the Gmelich-Painter contest.

Mr. Painter says he is willing to refer the lieutenant governorship to a commission, provided the Democrats are given a majority of one on the tribunal. Mr. Painter is a reminder of the Bowery boy in the days of volunteer fireman who said he didn't care what color they painted the masheen as long as they painted it red.—Globe-Democrat.

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In the Missouri State Senate are twenty-three Democrats, eleven Republicans, yet the Republicans carried the state in the last two presidential elections. The State Senate is truly a Gibraltar of crooked districting. The districting is a rank swindle on the principles of equal representation, and deliberately fixed up as a swindle.—Globe-Democrat.

THE TRIBUNE received a letter from Keith Vawter, manager of the Redpath Chautauqua System, informing us that work is already commenced to make the 1909 Montgomery Chautauqua one of the best ever given. The Chautauqua last year was all that could be asked and better than was expected. We do not see how the management can improve upon it but we will take Mr. Vawter at his word and look for even a better chautauqua this year.

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A Heavy Burden.

Under the plain letter of the constitution the monies of the school fund and of the seminary fund should have been invested in interest bearing securities, the interest only to be used for school and seminary purposes and the principal never to be expended. The Democrats, prior to January, 1904, spent every dollar of the principal and put the "certificates of indebtedness" in the place of the money. These certificates are as follows:

One bearing 6 per cent.	\$2,000,000
One bearing 5 per cent.	250,000
One bearing 6 per cent.	125,000
One bearing 5 per cent.	100,000
One bearing 6 per cent.	60,000
One bearing 5 per cent.	60,000
Total	\$4,395,000

These certificates are perpetual. Out of the revenues of the state the auditor must pay every year \$250,254.46 on these certificates, the money going into the educational fund. If the \$4,395,000, represented by these certificates had been invested, as the constitution required, the state would not be now subjected to an annual burden of \$250,254.46 interest charges, while the school fund would derive not less than \$220,000 from the fund properly invested. The Democrats spent the entire school fund and saddled a perpetual interest bearing debt of \$4,395,000 on the tax payers, without the sanction of the constitution, approving the outstanding certificates of indebtedness and authorizing the further issue of certificates, and providing for a levy of three cents annually to pay the interest. This was adopted in 1902, before the real issue involved had been grasped by the people. As it is retroactive it is of doubtful legality. The Republican state officials have refused to take money from the school fund for any purpose, but have invested every dollar received into that fund in the last four years in interest bearing bonds.

SWANGER CASE A PRECEDENT.

Judge Black Refused to Administer Oath to Legislator Elect.

"There is a Democratic precedent for refusing to administer the oath to members elect of the Missouri House of Representatives whose seats are contested or of whose election or eligibility there is doubt," said an old-time Democrat at the Laclede yesterday, discussing the proposition that Republicans might prevent snap judgment on the Painter-Gmelich contest by declaring the contested seats temporarily vacant.

"When John E. Swanger, now secretary of state, was elected to the House from Sullivan County in 1892. Judge Francis M. Black, then on the supreme bench, at the request of the acting speaker of the House, refused to administer the oath to Swanger, on the ground that he had not paid a state and county tax. Swanger had paid taxes for that year in Mercer County, but had no receipt from Sullivan County. Swanger was finally seated."

PRATHER AFTER NEW GAME LAW

Taney County Representative Says Statutes Are Too Lax.

Jefferson City, Mo., Jan. 4—Colonel A. S. Prather, member of the House, from Taney County, is going to make strong efforts to have the game and fish laws so changed as to make them more difficult.

He wants to see a law passed under which it will be unlawful to kill quail for five years, and also a law prohibiting the seining of fish or fishing with what is known as "lure bait." This, he explains is an artificial bait, and its use is rapidly depleting the streams of the southern part of the state of game fish. He says one fishing party last summer caught 500 bass in a single day out of White River as the result of using "lure bait." In his opinion, and he comes from a game and fish producing section, the laws are no longer enforced as was the case under the old Walmsley law. This provided for a state Game and Fish War-

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Barker Would Let Women Vote

John T. Barker, Democratic representative of Macon County, will present to the Missouri Legislature a bill permitting women not only to run for school director, but to vote for candidates for that office. The bill may be introduced with an emergency clause which would enable women to participate in the school elections next April.

ADDITIONAL CORRESPONDENCE

LINCOLN SCRAPS

Ralph McCoy and wife visited at Mrs. A. Barton's Saturday.

Emmett Utterback was in this vicinity Monday buying stock.

Ralph Hellyer and wife visited at Ora Pritchett's Sunday.

John Ulrich of Montgomery spent several days last week with relatives in this vicinity.

The people in this vicinity was sorry to hear of the death of Miss Ruth Berry, daughter of Karl Berry and wife, who died Thursday, Dec. 31st, after a few days illness.

John Ulrich and mother spent Sunday at Warren Oden's.

Several of the young folks attended a box supper at Mr. Heaton's Friday night.

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WHITE OAK

Jean Mabry visited near High Hill last week.

S.P. Pool moved Monday to a farm near High Hill.

Grover Callaway is the employee of Henry White.

There was a party given at Haight Bros. Saturday night.

Mrs. Dan White was the guest of Gordon Houffs last week.

There was a party given at Jno. Andrews Thursday night, also a dance at Geo. Andrews Monday night.

Mrs. Joe Blackshaw was the guest of relatives in St. Louis last week.

Mrs. Henry White returned home from St. Louis last week from the bedside of her mother, who is reported better at this writing.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of N. S. Penn, deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Probate Court of Montgomery County, Mo., at Montgomery City on the 29th day of December, 1908.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned for allowance within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication they will be forever barred.

MILTON L. PENN., Executor

of the estate of N. S. Penn, deceased, Dated this eighth day of January, 1909. (Vol. 17-No. 14-1-4t.)

SETTLEMENT DOCKET

January Term Probate Court, Montgomery County Mo., 1909. At City of Montgomery.

First Day, Monday, Jan. 18, 1909.

Anderson, J. A. deceased, Henry D. Roley, Admr.

Atterberry, Mary A., John W. Jackson, Exr. Brookshire, Rose and Mamie, (minor) W. L. Mabry, Cur.

Bruce, Mary A. deceased, W. E. Bruce, Admr. Bohn, Emma, minor, Fred Schmidt, Exr.

Boergadine, Cecil R., minor, J. E. Moseley, Cur. Carrell, May & Reburn, W. M. Wheeler, Cur.

Second Day, Tuesday, Jan. 19.

Cahill, Rachel, minor, Thos. H. Farnen, Gdn. Dyson, Joseph, minor, Lucy D. Kidwell, Cur.

Dowling, Ellen, minor, John M. Dowling, Cur.

Davis, T. P. minor, Mrs. Ella Davis, Cur. Davis, Addison, Henry Davis, Exr.

Ford, Gretchen W., Maggie Ford, Cur. Gill, Little E., Jas. E. O'Donnell, Cur.

Third Day, Wednesday, Jan. 20.

Garwood, M. H. deceased, David Lohman, Admr.

Gibson, Edith L., J. H. Dunham, Cur. Holloway, Wm. H., Geo. Lottan & W. D. Holloway, Admr.

Hays, Jeremiah, Mary E. Hays Admr.

Hunter, Mary J., F. W. Long, Admr.

Henze, Fredericka, E. P. Rosenberger, Admr. Henry, B. B., Mrs. Bettie Henry, Admr.

Fourth Day, Thursday, Jan. 21.

Ives, Mary T., Julia V., Homer, M. Moran, Cur.

Kirns, Mary, deceased, J. S. Bradley, Exr. Looker, Albert V., & Altie, Geo. Lottan, Cur.

Mud, Alexander, L. D. Mudd, Gdn. Miller, Caroline, deceased, Wm. H. Miller, Exr.

Osgood, Chas. S., John Jeffers, Admr. Parsons, G. W. A. L. Parsons, Admr.

Fifth Day, Friday, Jan. 22, 1909.

Rixey heirs, T. P. Rixey, Gdn. Reed, John H. A. A. and W. H. Reed, Exrs.

Rice, Adam W., Mary Rice, Exrs. Swope, Jacob L., Frances Swope, Admr.

Stiegman, Henry, Annie M. Stiegman, Admr. with will annexed.

See heirs, John W. Edney, Cur. Scanland Jas., Tilford Thorpe, Admr.

Williams, Ollie, E. H. Wayne, Gdn. & Cur. Woodall, Harrison, E. P. Rosenberger, Cur.

LESLIE D. ELLIS, Judge of Probate.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Whitehead were the guests of relatives in St. Louis last week.

Annie Gilmore has been visiting in this vicinity.

Isaac James was the guest of relatives here last week.

There was a dance given at Buell, Dec. 30, 1908.

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LOCAL TIME TABLE

West Bound.
Pass. No. 12, Accom. No. 11
St. Louis, Mo., 8:01 a.m.
Jonesburg, Mo., 8:14 a.m.
High Hill, Mo., 8:27 a.m.
New Florence, Mo., 8:40 a.m.
Montgomery, Mo., 8:53 a.m.
Wellsville, Mo., 9:06 a.m.
East Bound. No. 12
Wellsville, Mo., 7:41 p.m.
Montgomery, Mo., 7:54 p.m.
New Florence, Mo., 8:07 p.m.
High Hill, Mo., 8:20 p.m.
Jonesburg, Mo., 8:33 p.m.
St. Louis, Mo., 8:46 p.m.
Nov. 13 and 12 daily except Sunday

WABASH FAST TRAINS

West Bound.
Leave St. Louis
No. 3, 9:04 a.m.
No. 9, 11:20 p.m.
No. 1, 1:30 p.m.
No. 7, 10:30 p.m.
No. 5 will stop at Wellsville to discharge passengers for Kansas City.
No. 9 stops at Wellsville to discharge passengers from St. Louis and points east.

East Bound.
Leave Montgomery
No. 4, 8:14 a.m.
No. 14, 8:27 a.m.
No. 2, 3:47 p.m.
No. 30, 11:33 a.m.
No. 2 will stop at Wellsville to discharge passengers from Kansas City and to receive passengers for St. Louis.
No. 4 will stop on signal at New Florence for St. Louis passengers.

No. 70, way freight, leaves 7 a.m. will carry passengers as far as Ferguson.
No. 73, local freight, will carry passengers to Moberly, leaves at 7:00 a.m.
No. 71, local freight, will carry passengers from St. Charles to Montgomery, arr. 10 p.m.
No. 61 will carry passengers from Moberly to Montgomery, arrives 5:51 p.m.

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